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## PITTSBURGH

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### Program Overview

The Pittsburgh Public School (PPS) system has instituted reforms that include the establishment of eight Accelerated Learning Academies (ALAs), a Leadership Academy for principals, and other initiatives, including consolidating underutilized schools. Pittsburgh's Principal Incentive Program will evaluate principals on gains in student achievement and their leadership responsibilities. All principals will be eligible for the incentive program, including principals of ALAs who are already serving under performance-based contracts.

[View the complete TIF profile for the Pittsburgh Principal Incentive Initiative](#)

### Program Information

- [New PFT Contract Article: Accelerated Learning Academies](#)
- [Excellence for All](#)
- [Accelerated Learning Academies Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Pennsylvania System of School Assessment Overview](#)

### Select Articles and Reports

- *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*. (November 6, 2008). [City District May Offer Bonuses to Attract Teachers to Lower-Performing Schools](#)
- *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*. (October 16, 2008). [66 Pittsburgh Schools Principals Getting Bonuses](#)
- *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*. (July 25, 2008). [PSSA Scores Improve in City Schools](#)

### Related CECR Resources

- [Teacher Incentive Fund Grantee Summary Tool](#)
- [Pittsburgh Public Schools Principal Incentive Initiative TIF Grantee Profile](#)